
Indiana Statewide Forest Resource Assessment
Stakeholder Survey

There are 7 questions in total and it usually takes 5 minutes to complete. Only answers to the questions 1-3 are required. Your input will help identify landscape areas where national, regional, and state resource issues and priorities converge.

For more information on developing the Statewide Forest Assessment and Resource Strategy please visit:
<http://www.in.gov/dnr/forestry/5436.htm>

Thank you for your participation and please forward survey link to friends and colleagues with an interest in Indiana forests. The survey will be open for stakeholder input until Monday, June 1, 2009

1. To limit responses to one per person, please enter your information. (Name, Email, City, State)
2. For the following issues please rate your level of concern: (Not Concerned, Somewhat Unconcerned, Somewhat Concerned, or Very Concerned)

Availability of land for public recreation
Conservation and maintenance of soil and water resources
Conservation of biodiversity (including plant and wildlife habitat)
Conservation of forests that protect drinking water supplies
Counterproductive government forest conservation related policies (including taxation, zoning, etc.)
Forests not managed for carbon storage (carbon sequestration aspects not considered)
Fragmentation and/or conversion of forests to another land use (e.g. development, homes, agriculture)
High cost of forest ownership and low incentives to retain
Inadequate public education about forests
Inadequate youth education about forests
Lack of active management on forests
Lack of healthy woodlands and trees in urban areas, including city parks, street and yard trees
Overpopulation of white-tailed deer
Sustainable regeneration of oak woodlands
Sustaining Indiana's forest product industry
The control of forest fires (forest fire suppression)
The loss of fire dependent plant communities and habitats (restoration of fire-adapted lands)
The spread and control of invasive species
Other issue (please specify)

3. Using the list above, what are the three most important issues in order? (First, Second, Third)
 4. Would you like to be a part of a coordinated partnership to work on any of these issues? If so, which one(s)?
 5. How would you like to contribute in partnership on the issue(s)?
 6. Please note your affiliated organization(s)
 7. Would you like to be emailed a draft of the Indiana Statewide Forest Assessment for review?
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